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In re application of :

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COATING LIQUID FOR
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AND SUBSTRATE COATED
WITH SUCH A FILM

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX PATENT APPLICATION
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Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 21, delete "BACKGROUND ART" and insert therefor --BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--.

Page 4, line 14, delete "it is an object of".

Page 4, line 15, delete "to provide" and insert therefor --provides--.

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